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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant : William J. Beyda  
Serial No. : 09/668,039  
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Title : PROCESSING ELECTRONIC MESSAGES

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Examiner : Jaroenchonwanit, B.

Commissioner for Patents  
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**AMENDMENT**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated September 14, 2004, please amend the application as follows:

**Amendments to the claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this Amendment.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this Amendment.

Attached to the end of this amendment is a copy of the IDS and PTO-1449 mailed by Applicant on April 22, 2003 (received in PTO on April 28, 2003). We also attached a copy to our previous amendment submitted on July 14, 2004. We have not received the copy initialed by the Examiner and have provided a copy for his convenience.